

One-Minute Speech on Partial-Birth Abortion (#1)

Mr. Speaker,

This week, the House will vote on a bill banning partial-birth abortion.

Partial-birth abortion, as most Americans know, is a gruesome and barbaric procedure.

It's a procedure in which a doctor partially delivers a baby, stabs it through the head with a pair of medical scissors, vacuums out its brain, and then extracts the baby's corpse from its mother's birth canal.

Surely, in America, something this barbaric should be against the law!

Amazingly, some in this body think it should be legal!

Where do we draw the line, Mr. Speaker?

Once upon a time, ANY kind of abortion was illegal in most states. Then, the Supreme Court moved the line and said abortion had to be legal.

And now, some think we should move the line again and guarantee the right to murder children even while they're being born.

Not in America, Mr. Speaker.

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